Machine Learning CS 726, Fall 2011

HW09: Ensembles and efficiency

Hand in at: http://www.cs.utah.edu/~hal/handin.pl?course=cs726. Remember that only PDF submissions are accepted. We encourage using LATEX to produce your writeups. See hw00.tex for an example of how to do so. You can make a .pdf out of the .tex by running "pdflatex hw00.tex".

- 1. For bagging, why is it important to do bootstrap resample (sampling with replacement) rather than sampling without replacement?
- 2. Derive a stochastic subgradient descent algorithm for a classifier with hinge loss and an 2-norm regularizer. What other algorithm that you know about does this look like?